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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

Group 1616

Henderson et al.

Examiner Pryor, A.

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"Extracts of Vetiver Oil as a Repellent and Toxicant to Termites"

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2004.

It is believed that no fee is due to file this response. If this belief is incorrect, please refer to the Deposit Account Authorization previously filed for this application.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and a copy of the December 16, 2003 Amendment Under 35 C.F.R. § 1.111 submitted in co-pending application no. U.S. 2003/0073748 (Serial No. 09/932,556) are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 13, 2004.

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